

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Yasuhiko SUGIYAMA et al. :

Appln. No. 10/721,522 : Art Unit - 1756

Filed: November 24, 2003 : Examiner- Stephen D. Rosasco

For: PHOTOMASK CORRECTION :

METHOD USING COMPOSITE CHARGED PARTICLE BEAM,

AND DEVICE USED IN THE

CORRECTION METHOD : Docket No. S005-5168

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER RULE 116

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2006, applicants amend their application as follows:

ADDITIONAL FEE:

No additional fee is believed required in connection with this amendment. However, should it be determined that a fee is due, authorization is hereby given to charge any such fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

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